

house, whenever their parents could part from them, saying, he should always send for them both, whenever any other children came to pay him a visit. As to master Smith, he was now humbled into shame and sorrow. He and the other children all fell on their knees, and promised amendment; and I have had the pleasure of hearing, that they became, in a short time, worthy of an intimacy with Charles Nichols and master Thompson.

STORY IV.

The Necessity of Correction for Idleness and Perverseness.

MRS. Newsted had two sons, but on account of her very bad health, and an unsettled manner of life, she had been obliged to entrust the

the elder to the care of a n indulged him in every thing ed, and by this means rendered him fretful, obstinate and passionate. This improper treatment gave him a great deal of trouble and When he came home, she endeavored to improve him in discipline, to correct his bad behaviour, and to teach him to write, &c. but he was fully idle and inattentive, perversely froward, that she was under necessity of sending him to receive more severe correction than she had ever inflicted.

The person of whom he was in choice to be his tutor was Teachum: he never under the care of more than twenty pupils. He had educated several in this manner, as had given much satisfaction; for he was a very